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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

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MONTHLY FORM C.

Deaths registered from different Causes in the Provinces of Mysore and Coorg during the month of July 1879.

Division.	Name of District.	Population according to Census of 1871.			Total Deaths from all Causes.			Ratio of Deaths per cent of Population from all Causes.			Number of Births registered.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Nundydroog.	Bangalore District... ...	414,543	413,811	828,354	482	557	1,039	·12	·13	·12	461	455	916
	Kolar do	309,685	309,269	618,954	405	449	854	·13	·15	·14	409	355	764
	Túmkúr do	315,440	316,799	632,239	376	384	760	·12	·12	·12	167	141	308
	Total of the Division...	1,039,668	1,039,879	2,079,547	1,263	1,390	2,653	·12	·13	·13	1,037	951	1,988
Ashtagram.	Mysore District	467,562	475,625	943,187	696	617	1,513	·15	·13	·14	556	443	999
	Hassan do	313,683	326,194	639,877	633	524	1,157	·20	·16	·18	296	325	621
	Total of the Division...	781,245	801,819	1,583,064	1,329	1,141	2,470	·17	·14	·16	852	768	1,620
Nagar.	Shimoga District	258,446	240,530	498,976	591	499	1,090	·23	·21	·22	439	365	804
	Kadur do	184,978	177,487	362,465	393	355	748	·21	·20	·20	209	194	403
	Chitaldroog do	271,587	259,773	531,360	323	335	658	·12	·12	·12	242	224	466
	Total of the Division...	715,011	677,790	1,392,801	1,307	1,189	2,496	·18	·18	·18	890	783	1,673
	Total of the Province...	2,535,924	2,519,488	5,055,412	3,899	3,720	7,619	·15	·15	·15	2,779	2,502	5,281
	Coorg	94,454	73,858	168,312	193	164	357	·20	·22	·21	80	40	120

J. WILSON,
Dy. Surgeon General, I. M. D.,
Mysore Dn. & Ceded Districts.

ANCHE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 801—545. *The 2nd February* 1880.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under the authority of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, experimental Anche Offices will be opened from the 15th February 1880 at the places named below. The Hobli schoolmasters at the places will perform the Anche work in addition to their duties as schoolmasters :—

1. Bharmasagar, ..	Davangere Taluk	..	Chitaldroog District.
2. Talak, ..	Dodéri Taluk	..	Do
3. Bommagondankere.	Do	..	Do
4. Parasurampur ..	Do	..	Do

B. MARI GANGAIYA, *Anche Bakshi.*

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Devanhalli, the 9th January 1880.

It is hereby notified for public information that the Lac contract of the Bangalore District jungles (excepting those attached to the Forest Department) for the official years 1880—81, 1881—82, and 1882—83, *i. e.*, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1883, will be sold by public competition at 12 o'clock on the 10th March 1880 in the District Office at Bangalore.

2. The highest bidder per year for three years shall, on the bid being knocked down to him, produce and pay down a deposit consisting of either currency notes or ready money, equal to the amount of six khists or monthly instalments, each of such instalments being equal to $\frac{1}{12}$th of the year's bid or $\frac{1}{36}$th of the amount of the entire contract. If he fail to do this the contract will be resold at once at his risk as to any loss that may thereby be caused to Government.

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3. The accepted bidder shall enter on his contract on the 1st April 1880, and shall pay his first monthly khist or instalment on or before the 15th May 1880, and subsequently, monthly instalments on or before the 15th of each successive month, such monthly payments being made without reference to the amount deposited, which will be taken in payment of the last 6 instalments of the expiration of the contract.

4. Local cess at the prescribed rate will be charged on the monthly instalments to be paid by the contractor.

5. Should there be failure or delay in the payment of the said instalments for two consecutive months, the contract will be liable to be cancelled summarily, and will be resold at the risk of the defaulting purchaser irrespective of the deposit amount, which will be forfeited to Government.

L. RICKETTS,
Dy. Commr.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 19th January 1880.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1st March 1880, by the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail, for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of the prisoners in the Hassan Jail, from 1st April 1880 to 31st March 1881, both days inclusive, subject to confirmation by the Inspector General of Jails.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above named.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Hassan Jail."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 250 in cash or Currency Notes.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail, at the Jail Office on the date above named, in the presence of such tenderers who may choose to attend.

6. All tenders must specify the rate per convict per diem of the following classes, *viz* :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Native laboring males, A class			
Do do B do			
Do do C do			
Do non-laboring males, females and under-trial, D. class ..			
Juvenile prisoners			
Sick prisoners			
Europeans and East Indians			

7. The rates tendered must, besides the articles specified in the undermentioned diet scales, include extras to sick, and perishable articles, lamp-oil, lanterns, and repairing the same, soap-nut or sige-kayi for bathing purposes, brooms, bamboos for making baskets and mats, firewood for baking pots, milk, bread, sugar, &c., required for children of female convicts, earthen plates, lotas, sulphur for fumigating cells, fuller's earth, and all other sundry articles exclusive of clothing required to be supplied regularly for the use of the prisoners.

8. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

9. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained, and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payment for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, Hassan Jail, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

11. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles such as, meat, &c, must be at the Jail by 7-15 A. M. daily.

12. The contract must not be sublet.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 50 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior articles, and if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

14. The decision of the Superintendent of the Hassan Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the jail garden for the use of the prisoners at a fixed rate of six pies per lb.

15. The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts, and it will be issued as flour in accordance with the several rates of diet.

16. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent.

Note.—The present strength of the Hassan Jail is 72 prisoners, with an anticipated increase of about 100 during the year.